

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

<b>In Re Application of</b>	)	
	)	<b>For:</b>
<b>J. RODNEY WALTON, ET AL.</b>	)	<b>METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR</b>
	)	<b>PROVIDING AN EFFICIENT</b>
	)	<b>CONTROL CHANNEL</b>
	)	<b>STRUCTURE IN A WIRELESS</b>
	)	<b>COMMUNICATION SYSTEM</b>
	)	
	)	<b>Examiner:</b>
	)	<b>JAIN, RAJ K.</b>
<b>Serial No. 10/725,904</b>	)	
	)	<b>Group No.</b>
	)	<b>2616</b>
<b>Filed: DECEMBER 1, 2003)</b>	)	
	)	<b>Confirm No.</b>
	)	<b>3195</b>

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Mail Stop: Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 21, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are shown beginning on page 2; and  
**Remarks** begin on page 10.